

**A. AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION**

In the title please replace the title on page 1 with the following amended title:

SERVER-SIDE XML-BASED DEVELOPMENT ENVIRONMENT FOR NETWORK  
DEVICE MANAGEMENT APPLICATIONS

Please replace paragraph [0001] on page 1 with the following amended  
paragraph:

[0001] This application is related to U.S. Patent Application Serial No.

[[\_\_\_\_\_]10/727,153, filed [[\_\_\_\_\_]December 2, 2003,

(Attorney Docket No. 50325-0858) entitled CLIENT-SERVER SIDE XML-BASED  
DEVELOPMENT ENVIRONMENT FOR NETWORK DEVICE MANAGEMENT  
APPLICATIONS, which is incorporated herein by reference in its entirety.